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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

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IMMIGRATION FILE

No. _____

SUBJECT: CHAN, Gertie Alison ? Seattle, Wn. 1-2

PRINCESS KATHLEEN AUGUST 18, 1925.

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British Passport #3507

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August 31, 1925

Commissioner-General of Immigration,
Washington, D.C.

Reference being had to Bureau telegram of August 22, 1925, No. 55476/274, admitting temporarily WINNIE CHAN and GERTIE ALISON CHAN one week under supervision some reliable person purpose visit Seattle that length time, I have to inform the Bureau that these Chinese women departed from the United States on the Canadian Pacific steamer "Princess Marguerite" 9 A.M. August 29, 1925.

Commissioner

MCF:AMB

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Gertie Ahoon Chan deported from the United States Saturday, Aug. 29, 1925 on the C. P. Boat, "Princess Margaret," at 9 AM. She was accompanied by her sister, Winnie Chan, and Miss Hamilton.

J. J. Harris.
Special Inspector.

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CONFIRMATION OF TELEGRAM

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION
WASHINGTON

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August 22, 1925.

Immigration Service,
Seattle, Washington.

Admit parthian temporarily Winnie Chan and Gertie Alison Chan one week under supervision some reliable person purpose visit Seattle that length time.

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Attest:

COMMERCIAL RATES COLLECT
VIA WESTERN UNION
hms

G.E. TOLMAN,
Assistant Commissioner General.

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The above is an official copy of telegram sent this day.

Assistant Commissioner General.

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No. 3838/1-2 Seattle, Wash., August 19, 1925

In the matter of the application of M. C. Faris, Examining Inspector

GERTIE ALISON CHAN Alice M. Blaker, Stenographer

for admission to the United States in order to travel and visit.

Applicant sworn:

Q What are all your names?
A Gertie Alison Chan.
Q Have you a Chinese name?
A No.
Q Are you married or single?
A Single.
Q When and where were you born?
A In Hongkong, China, in 1905.
Q Have you any papers for your admission to the U.S?
A No.

(Presents British passport visaed for travel in Canada)

Q When did you leave China?
A On May 1st.
Q How long have you been in Canada?
A Three months.
Q On what boat did you come?
A Empress of Asia.
Q Are your parents living?
A No, they are dead.
Q Have you any relatives in Canada?
A No.
Q Have you any relatives in the U.S?
A No.
Q What is your occupation?
A Nothing.
Q You have means to pay your way, have you?
A Yes, independent means.
Q Why are you coming to Seattle?
A Just for a few days visit.
Q Are you willing to pay for a telegram to Washington requesting authority for your admission?
A Yes.
Q What will be your address in Seattle?
A Hotel Washington.
Q If we parole you awaiting answer from Washington, do you understand that you are not to leave the city without permission?

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A Yes.

(Signature traced)

G. A. Chan.

Attest:

Alice M. Blaker

Stenographer

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3838/1-1 and 2 Seattle, Washington, August 19, 1925

Immigration Bureau
Washington

Winnie parthian Chan and Gertie Alison Chan highclass Chinese women arrived Seattle without Section Six Certificates or American visaes of any kind present British passports request authority to visit in Seattle for one week

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Attest:

(Signed) Luther Weedin
Commissioner

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Exact copy as signed by
Luther Weedin

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August 12, 1925

Miss G. Chan
The Angela,
Burdett Ave.,
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Madam:

This is in answer to your letter of the 7th instant, requesting permission to make a short visit in Seattle. According to the law, in order to make this visit, you should secure a Traveler's Section Six Certificate from the Controller of Chinese Immigration at Victoria, B.C., and have it visaed by the American Consul of that city. I believe that you will find the Controller of Chinese Immigration at the Canadian Immigration office.

Respectfully,

MCF:AMB

Commissioner of Immigration

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No. _____

(Name) **(Steamer)** **(Date)**

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